

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 1395

Introduced by Assembly Member Torrico

February 27, 2009

An act to add Section 39601.3 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to air pollution.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1395, as introduced, Torrico. State Air Resources Board: regulations.

Existing law creates the State Air Resources Board and gives to the state board various duties relating to reducing emissions of air pollutants, including emissions of greenhouse gases.

This bill would require the state board to make available to the public all changes to draft regulations proposed for adoption by the state board. The state board would also be required to ensure that all public workshops undertaken pursuant to a regulatory development and implementation process are recorded by an appropriate method, and made available for public review.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 39601.3 is added to the Health and Safety
- 2 Code, to read:
- 3 39601.3. (a) The state board shall make available to the public
- 4 all changes to draft regulations proposed for adoption by the state
- 5 board, including, but not limited to, making this information

1 available on its Internet Web site and distributing the information
2 through list serves. The deletions from the previous proposal shall
3 be made in strikeout form and the additional language shall be
4 made in underline form to clearly indicate the manner in which
5 the new proposal differs from the previous proposal.

6 (b) The state board shall ensure that all public workshops
7 undertaken pursuant to a regulatory development and
8 implementation process are recorded by an appropriate method,
9 and made available for public review.

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